

Data Sheet E – Results of Internal Review Committee

Date of Review/Recommendation: September 18, 2008

Water Body Under Evaluation:

Water Body ID #: 0556
Name: West Fork Honey Creek (Class C)
Length of Segment: 12.5 miles
County(ies): Grundy, Mercer

Use Attainability Analysis (UAA) Study:

UAA ID #: 1183
Submitter: MEC Water Resources, Inc.
Date(s) Conducted: May 22, 2007
Date Received: May 28, 2007
Use Evaluated: Whole Body Contact Recreation (WBCR) and
Secondary Contact Recreation (SCR)

UAA Criteria Evaluated:

- ☐ 1-Natural Pollutant Sources.
- ☒ 2-Natural, Ephemeral, Intermittent or Low-Flow Condition.
- ☐ 3-Non-Remedial, Human Caused Condition.
- ☐ 4-Hydrologic Modifications.
- ☐ 5-Natural Physical Features.
- ☐ 6-Substantial, Widespread Social and Economic Impact.

Use Determination & Recommendation:

Has the use existed since November 28, 1975? ☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown

Comments: The UAA survey was conducted in May 2007 and no WBCR was observed. No interviews were conducted during the survey. A dirt track/trail was noted running parallel to the stream at Site 3 and there is a low-water farm crossing at Site 7. During the public comment period of May 21-August 31, 2008, 2 comments were received. Both comments cited secondary contact recreation and 1 comment cited WBCR.

Is the evaluated use attainable? ☐ Yes ☒ No

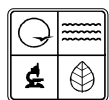
Comments: The stream did not meet the depth criteria at any of the 3 sites evaluated. However, due to the comment received citing WBCR uses, the committee recommends the WBCR use designation be added. Due to evidence of secondary contact (dirt trail, low water crossing, and comments), the committee recommends the Secondary Contact Recreation use be assigned.

Committee Recommendation:

☒ Add Use ☐ Retain Use ☐ Remove Use
☐ Modify Use ☐ Inconclusive

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